

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph at page 8, lines19-31, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A switch 14 (illustrated by a solid line for convenience) is provided inside the front upper half portion of the applicator body 11, as shown in Fig. 3(a). The switch 14 vertically moves together with the vertical motion of the arm member 12. When the arm member 12 is brought down until the heating surface ~~5A~~ 51 of the heating head 5 is brought into intimate contact with the abutting surface 61 of the head receiving member 6, the heating of the heating head 5 is switched on. When the heating surface ~~5A~~ 51 of the heating head 5 is separated from the abutting surface 61 of the head receiving member 6, the heating is switched off. Therefore, in the mascara applicator 1 of the first embodiment, the heating of the heating head 5 is switched on while the eyelashes C are held between the heating surface 51 of the heating head 5 and the abutting surface 61 of the head receiving member 6 together with the film-shaped mascara ~~[[4]]~~ 41 (see Fig. 7(b)), and the heating is switched off while the heating head 5 is separated from the head receiving member 6 (see Fig. 7(a)).

Please replace the paragraph at page 13, lines11-19, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A sawtooth-shaped film cutting edge 42C is provided in the proximity of the film outlet 42 42B, allowing the film-shaped mascara 41 ejected from the film outlet 42B to be cut. An adhesive is provided in the region between the film outlet 42B and the film cutting edge 42C. Thus, the end portion of the film-shaped mascara 41 cut by the film cutting edge 42C adheres to the adhesive for preventing the end portion from being drawn back into the film case 42. The other constitution is the same as that of the mascara applicator of the first

embodiment. In order to move the film-shaped mascara 41, one end portion thereof is drawn out from the film outlet 42B of the film case 42 and is cut by the film cutting edge 42C.

Please replace the paragraph at page 14, lines 4-11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Therefore, the applicator body ~~14~~ 11 of the mascara ~~supplying means~~ applicator 1 of the third embodiment has a form extending from the front to the rear as viewed from the front, and the height of the mascara ~~supplying means~~ applicator 1 as a whole is nearly the same as the height of a film case 42, resulting in a constitution in which the size is reduced in the height direction. Moreover, in the front upper portion of the applicator body 11, a heating head 5 is provided toward the front. As in the second embodiment, dry batteries (not shown) for heating a heating surface 51 of the heating head 5 are accommodated inside the applicator body ~~14~~ 11.

Please replace the paragraph at page 14, lines 12-25, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A rotating arm member 15 is provided above the applicator body ~~14~~ 11 so as to cover the top surface of the applicator body ~~14~~ 11. A head receiving member 6 is provided in the front end side of the lower surface of the rotating arm member 15, and the rear end side of the rotating arm member 15 is rotatably connected to the rear end of the applicator body ~~14~~ 11. When the rotating arm member 15 is rotationally moved upward, the head receiving member 6 provided in the rotating arm member 15 is separated from the heating head 5 provided in the applicator body ~~14~~ 11, as shown in Fig. 9(b). When the rotating arm member 15 is rotationally moved downward, the heating head 5 is brought into intimate contact with the head receiving member 6, as shown in Fig. 9(a). In addition, when the rotating arm member

15 is rotationally moved downward such that the heating head 5 is brought into intimate contact with the head receiving member 6, the heating of the heating head 5 is switched on. When the rotating arm member 15 is rotationally moved upward to separate the heating head 5 from the head receiving member 6, the heating of the heating head 5 is switched off.

Please replace the paragraph at page 14, line 26, to page 15, line 9, with the following rewritten paragraph:

A mode of use of the mascara applicator 1 of the third embodiment will be described. First, the rotating arm member 15 is rotationally moved upward to separate the heating head 5 from the head receiving member 6. Subsequently, the film case 42 (the cartridge) is attached to the applicator body 44 11, and the unused film-shaped mascara 41 is arranged above the heating head 5. While maintaining this state, the film-shaped mascara 41 is arranged under eyelashes by holding the applicator body 44 11 by hand and bringing the applicator body 44 11 close to a user's eye. The rotating arm member 15 is then rotationally moved downward to hold the eyelashes together with the film-shaped mascara 41 between the heating surface 51 of the heating head 5 and the abutting surface 61 of the head receiving member 6. At this time, the eyelashes are curled between the heating surface 51 of the heating head 5 and the abutting surface 61 of the head receiving member 6 into a certain shape. At the same time, the heating of the heating head 5 is switched on to heat the heating surface 51 of the heating head 5. Therefore, the curling shape of the eyelashes is fixed, and the mascara agent of the film-shaped mascara 41 is melted and thermally transferred to the eyelashes.